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Title : Air Shutter and Installation Method Thereof

**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

**Mail Stop AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This is a Reply to the Office Action mailed March 4, 2005 in the above-identified patent application. Submission of this Reply on Monday, June 6, 2005 is believed timely since the three-month period for response expired on a Saturday, when the Office was not open to receive correspondence.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.